

### REMARKS

The first preliminary amendment canceled claims 1 and 4-13, and this second preliminary amendment places the specification and claims in better conformance with standard U.S. practice. In addition, new claims 14-33 have been added and correspond to the subject matter disclosed in claims 4-13, as filed, and to the information concerning relative density and amorphous nature of the target disclosed, for instance, in Table 1 of the application, as filed. No new matter was added.

After entry of this second preliminary amendment, claims 2, 3 and 14-33 are pending. Thus, the pending claims include twenty-two claims in total, two independent, and no multiple dependent.

Applicant respectfully requests consideration of claims 2, 3 and 14-33.

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